STATE of ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

103-70-0

TO: | Dick Logan | Chief | Habitat Protection Section

DATE: April 27, 1979

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO:

Rick Reed
Regional Supervisor
Habitat Protection Section

SUBJECT: Change in Anadromous Stream

Catalog

Recently, (April 5) I submitted a request concerning changing the name of "Staney Creek" and Lester River" in the present anadromous catalog (copy of memo attached). This request did not agree with the way the survey information for Staney Creek is recorded. As a result the Ketchikan office has sent up a stream deletion form correcting it the way it should be. Please replace my April 5 memo with this form. Thank you.

enclosure:

1. April 5 memo

2. stream deletion form

3. Don Kelly's memo

cc: D. Kelly

D. Hubartt w/enc.

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TO:

Rick Reed Regional Supervisor Habitat Section Juneau

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DATE : April 19, 1979

FROM:

Don Kelly Area Habitat Biologist Ketchikan

SUBJECT: Changes to Anadromous Stream Catalog

Here is the change of status form for the stream discussed in your April 5 memo to Dick Logan. I've discussed the situation with Comm. Fish and Land Use (John Edgington), and both are in agreement with this treatment. I've given copies of the form to both.

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STATE OF ALASKA Department of Fish and Game NOMINATION FORM FOR WATERS IMPORTANT TO ANADROMOUS SPECIES

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NAME (if any) OF WATERBODY Lester Creek, current catalog number 103-90-031						
TYPE OF WATERBODY (circle one): lake creek) river slough other						
LOCATION (use mouth of stream or outlet of lake):						
MERIDIAN Copper River TOWNSHIP 70S RANGE 80E SECTION 9						
USGS 1:63,360 QUADRANGLE MAP (e.g. Juneau D4)						
LATITUDE 55-44-58 LONGITUDE 133-08-26						
COMMERICIAL FISHERIES STATISTICAL DISTRICT AND SUBDISTRICT IN WHICH WATERBODY IS LOCATED: District 3, Subdistrict 90						
LIST OF SPECIES OBSERVED (include any anadromous fish)						
SPECIES	DATE(s) OBSERVED	APPROXIMATE NUMBERS	LIFE STAGE(s) (egg, fry, smolt, adult)			
Comments/Diagrams (Please indicate where in the stream fish were observed, e.g., "10 miles above Delta Junction," "3 river miles south of confluence of Yukon and Porcupine Rivers," etc. Provide additional clarifying information such as "provides limited spawning area," "excellent rearing area," etc. Please use the back of this form if more space is required). The present Region I catalog lists two streams in this drainage: 103-90-030 (Staney Creek)						
and 103-90-031 (Lester Creek). However, the confluence of these two streams is above						
tidewater. It is recommended that Lester Creek (103-90-031) be dropped from the catalog,						
and that the entire system be designated in the Region I catalog as Staney Creek (over)						
NAME OF OBSERVER (print) Donald G. Kelly SIGNATURE Would H Kelly						
DUTY STATION Ketchikan						
NOTE: Anyone submitting this form may be required to testify at a public hearing at a future date regarding these observations. SEND ORIGINAL TO: Chief, Habitat Protection Section, Subport Building, Juneau. Also, send one copy to the local Regional Habitat Protection Supervisor.						

catalog number 103-90-030. This will put the catalog in agreement with current Department of Fish and Game usage. Commercial Fisheries Division compiles data for the entire system under the number 103-90-030. and the Revised Anadromous Stream Catalog, prepared by Land Use lists both streams under the name of Staney Creek, number 103-90-030.

Richard Logan Chief Habitat Protection Section

Rick Reed
Regional Supervisor
Habitat Protection Section

Changes to anadromous stream catalog

I have changes which is needed in the Region I anadromous stream catalog. Since it is not an addition or deletion the standard form isn't appropriate. However, I did want to document it so when the catalog is redone it can be corrected. It involves the names of two streams (103-90-030 and 103-90-031) which are listed on page 35.

In the present catalog 103-90-030 is called "Staney" and 103-90-031 is called "Lester". While this is correct based on the U.S.G.S maps in print at the time the catalog was assembled, it does not reflect local useage. The new U.S.G.S. maps have been changed to reflect the common local names. To correspond to the present U.S.G.S. maps and common useage, the catalog needs to be revised as follows: 103-90-030 should have no name ("Staney" should be removed) and 103-90-031 should be called "Staney" drop "Lester" and replace with "Staney"). Since this is not an addition or deletion of a stream I don't assume this needs to be included in the public hearings. Cheers!

cc: D. Hubartt

- J. Valentine, CF, KTN
- D. Siedelman, SF, KTN